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### WEDDINGS

Marlene Haney Marsh—Ferdie Wutke, '55. Ferdie is teaching at Fletcher Academy, where they live.

Constance Moffett, '57 — Charles Donald Arnett, in Lakeland, December 29. They have an apartment at Collegedale, where Charles is continuing his education.

Alice Dean, '57—Norman Trubey, '57, in Tullahoma, Tennessee, December 14. Norman is now in the army.

Naomi Fleenor — Wesley Page Haynes, in Dallas, Texas, September 2, 1957. Naomi is supervisor of the medical floor at the Baylor University Hospital in Dallas.

### BIRTHS

A daughter, Debbie, to the Chester Damrons, '57, at Takoma Park.

A second daughter to the Floyd Greenleafs, '55, of Birmingham, Alabama. Floyd says he is now living with a houseful of women.

Rebecca Jeanette to James, '52, and Mabel Joiner, '53, at 6:15 A.M., on January 22.

### DEATH

Rees Callicott, '12, in Greenville, Mississippi, December 29. Vesta Moyers-Callicott, '12, has moved to California.

### ADDRESSES NEEDED

Abu-el-haj, Fawsi, '55  
 Allen, Mary Frances, '52  
 Anderson, Wallace, '55  
 Backus, James T., '31  
 Beauchamp, Virgil, '52  
 Bishop, Forrest L., '27  
 Brown, Maxine, '36  
 Bush, Alan Floyd, '45  
 Carden, Mary Ellen, '52  
 Chacon, Lilia Esther, '52  
 Champion, Patricia Helen, '52  
 Cleaves, Richard, '38  
 Cockrell, Ross Van Buren, '48  
 Collier, Georgette Damon, '44  
 Cook, Lorin Oswald, '49  
 Corder, Arthur Ray, '51  
 Dortch, Jean Hadley, '39  
 Galutia, Alvin, '53  
 Glidewell, Mary, '59  
 Gonzalez, Rene, '55  
 Goodner, Elbert Wade, '51  
 Hammond, Lola Mae, '50  
 Harlan, John, '53  
 Hartwell, Russell, '50

Hastings, Royalyn, '52  
 Hollingsworth, Carol, '55  
 Ivey, Alyce Marie, '39  
 Johnson, Lillian Jewell, '45  
 Jones, Thelma, '26  
 Lambeth, Joe Earl, '51  
 Lilley, Donald Eugene, '48  
 Litchfield, Marie Cramer, '49  
 Loh, Alice Lai-Wen, '57  
 Lysek, Theodore M., '48  
 McCullough, Dorothy, '43  
 Mahn, Sara Pearl, '52  
 Meacham, Bernice, '36  
 Millard, Clay, '30  
 Miller, Ruth McKnight, '24  
 Moreno, Marie, '54  
 Oh, Choon Soo, '54  
 Paxton, Carolyn McClure, '32  
 Pettingill, Charles, '53  
 Pifer, John F., '55  
 Raab, Philippe B., '51  
 Randall, Carol C., '32  
 Reese, Henry Lionel, '37  
 Rogers, Wava Aline, '30  
 Shaw, Ward B., '32  
 Shelton, T. J., '41  
 Smith, Albert C., '35  
 Smith, Alice Marie, '33  
 Stephenson, Dorothy Reed, '43  
 Semmens, Roland, '48  
 Taylor, Wayne, '56  
 Wax, Sara Hooper, '42  
 Wilbur, John I., '48  
 Wilson, Woodrow, '38



## A Message From Our New College President

DR. C. N. REES

To a young and progressive college such as Southern Missionary College, where progress is tradition, the accomplishments of past years serve only as stimulants to greater attainment. To carry on to even greater heights this traditional progress is the continuous challenge I accept as I assume the presidency of Southern Missionary College.



C. N. Rees

I assure you that the college will continue to appoint as members of the faculty and staff not only those having educational competence, but those who have fully dedicated their lives to the cause of God and to the Christian education of our Southern youth.

The tradition of progress also touches buildings and landscape. The opening of the fall term will find the home economics-cafeteria building ready for occupancy. It will find important renovations in Lynn Wood Hall as well as in many other buildings of the campus, which will add materially to the efficiency of the institution. Furthermore, at a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees, the administration was authorized to go ahead with the plans for the new

women's dormitory. According to present plans this dormitory will be the next building to be erected on the campus.

It is a fine thing to have friends. We at the college prize most sincerely the hundreds of alumni and former students of the college. To each alumnus and former student we wish to extend a cordial invitation to visit SMC as soon and as often as you can. Students and faculty change, new buildings are erected, yet it is still *your* college. If you can find the time to come to the campus, we will be proud to greet you here and show you the college and tell you of its future plans for expansion.

If your visit stimulates you to bring or send some promising student to us, you will be doing a compound good—to the student, to yourself, and to the cause of truth.

It means so much to us to know that you are praying for us and supporting us who have dedicated our lives to Christian education—the finest and most challenging responsibility committed to mankind.

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*Editorial Note:* Doctor Conard N. Rees, our new president, comes to us from Southwestern Junior College, where during the past years he served as president. Previous to that time, he labored 14 years at Washington Missionary College, the first part as a member of the faculty, and the latter as academic dean. He is a graduate of Union College, and also obtained both his M.A. and his Ph.D. degree at the University of Nebraska, also at Lincoln. His field of concentration in his graduate work was education and college administration.

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## Thanks!

by R. C. MIZELLE

Contributions to the Student Aid Fund have been most liberal, and the Executive Committee wishes to thank personally each one who sent in a donation. Pledges in the amount

of \$647 have been made to date, and payments have been received of \$499.50.

These contributions have ranged from two dollar offerings to four who were able to give \$100 or more to help worthy students to attend Southern Missionary College.

A good sampling of classes has been noted in the pledge list also. A contribution has been received from a member of the first graduating class, and there is a donation from a member of the Class of 1958.

Those of us who have spent four happy and profitable years here at our Alma Mater know the benefits to be derived therefrom, and each of us should be willing to help swell the Student Aid Fund so that others from the Southland might have the opportunity to prepare for the Lord's service.

## Chapter Doings

Elaine E. Eldridge '26 writes concerning the organization of the Nashville chapter as follows: "As the slanting rays of sunset fell and another Sabbath came to a close, about thirty former students of SMC gathered in the chapel of the Southern Publishing Association to strengthen the Alumni Association.

"Many happy thoughts were brought to the group as they were led in a vesper song by Stewart Crook. The talk by Elder Lundquist on the "Value of Christian Education" reminded us of the college chapel programs we had been privileged to attend at dear old Collegedale.

"Even though all its former students in the Nashville area have a warm and endearing spot in their hearts for SMC, they had not been organized into an active unit. Elder Lundquist urged that steps be taken to organize into an alumni chapter. At the close of the meeting, the following were elected to direct the destinies of the new Nash-



ville chapter, organized March 8:

President: James Joiner '53

Vice-president: Douglas Bennett '51

Secretary: LaVanne Hazelton

Treasurer: William Jones '52

Publicity Secretary:

Elaine E. Eldridge '26

"Other former sons and daughters included: Mrs. R. E. Stewart, J. W. Malmede, Roy Slate, Stewart Crook, J. T. Weed, Mary Cowdrick '38, Elsie Landon Buck '41, Roberta Harvey."

\* On the coldest night of the past winter, February 17, a new chapter for Western Carolina was organized at our hospitable Mount Pisgah Academy, and the following were elected officers:

President: Dr. L. C. Waller '39

Vice-president: Ferdinand

Wuttke '55

Secretary-Treasurer:

Mrs. L. C. Rilea '55

Public Relations: Louis J. Wynn '53

Others present at this historical meeting were: Elaine Higdon '52, Joe Butterfield '56, Lottie Dickerson '30, Fred Eberhart '57, Ruby Eberhart '53, Lester Rilea '55.

\* Grace Byram '52 writes concerning the organization of the new Highland chapter of the Student Association as follows:

"On March 10, Elder H. B. Lundquist of SMC was on our campus at Highland for the purpose of organizing the Highland chapter of the Alumni Association. The following were chosen as officers of the new chapter:

President: Ruben A. Lopez '52

Treasurer: Jerry Medanich '54

Secretary and Public Relations:

Mrs. Grace Byram '52

"Other members of the chapter present were: W. J. Strickland, Carl Brown, Drew Turlington '51."

One project adopted and promoted by the new chapter was the raising of money to contribute to the Alumni Association Student Aid Fund, the incoming president starting it off with a pledge for the year.

\* Mabel Howard '55 writes concerning a chapter meeting of the Louisville chapter: "All the available

alumni of the vicinity met on March 11 with Elder Lundquist, the executive secretary of the Alumni Association, in the pastor's study of the Louisville church. Elder Lundquist gave a report of progress at SMC and told of the future plans for the expansion of the physical plant. At this same meeting the project of the Student Aid Fund to aid worthy students in school was adopted.

The following were elected for the ensuing term:

President: Charles Harris '52

Vice-president: Don Kenyon '52

Secretary-Treasurer: Mabel

Howard '55

Assistant Secretary-Treasurer:

Cecile Martin

Also present at the meeting were: Mrs. Don Kenyon, Ruth Harris, A. V. McClure, and H. B. Lundquist.

\* The Washington, D. C., area on May 3 held a meeting of the members of that chapter, and the following were present: Jack Bohannon '57, Donna Weber-Bohannon '54, LaDon Homer '57, Mary Ann Hoehn-Homer '57, Larry McClure '57, Joyce Larsen-McClure '57, Mildred Bradley-Robbins, Chester Damron '57, Mary Jean Brown-Damron '53, Fred Sanburn '51, Peter Durichek '57, Violet Starr-Durichek '57, Juanita Coble-Sparks '54, Mona Deyo-Strickland, Dr. Richard Hammill and family, Mrs. E. T. Watrous, Edna Stoneburner.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

President: Billy Mack Read '54

Vice-president: Fred Sanburn

Secretary: Joyce Larsen-McClure

Treasurer: Larry McClure

Public Relations: Gladys Purdie '41

This same chapter met at Sligo Creek Park for a picnic supper at 6:00 P.M. on Sunday, July 19. Everybody brought picnic dishes which were put together. Before and after supper games were played in the park, and everyone reports a wonderful time. Those present included: Roy Battle '53 and wife; Harry Bennett '37 and Ercel Bennett '36; Robert C. McMillan '53 and wife, Betty Jo '51; N. L. Krogstad and family; Mary Jean Brown-Damron '53; Chester Damron

'57; Mary Ann Hoehn-Homer '56, LaDon Homer '57; Dennis and Nobel Carlson '54; Verda Lee Fletcher '53; Elaine Higdon '52; Mary Grove '53; Louise and Wayne Gish '47 & '42; Mrs. Richard Hammill & Marcia; Lorabel Peavey Midkiff '41; Carol Russ-Herrell; Norman Trubey and Alice Dean-Trubey '57; Juanita Coble-Sparks '54; Bill and Jean Strickland; Marie Culveyhouse; Clarice and Travis Kelly; Alex and Judy Clark; Larry and Joyce Larsen-McClure '57; Ronnie Rodgers '57 and wife; Billy Mack Read '54 and wife.

\* Dale Fisher, progressive president, reports a banquet of the Southern California chapter at the La Sierra College cafeteria on April 13. Over one hundred were present. The college song was sung by those present, and a fine time was reported. He says in part: "In the fall, we plan to have our week end outing in the mountains and will want a representative of the college present." Inasmuch as we failed to receive the names of those present we are unable to say who were present.

\* The Collegedale chapter on July 27 had a potluck supper in the Student Park at the Rock Quarry at Collegedale, with the following persons present: C. N. Rees, G. E. Shankel, R. C. Mizelle '50 and wife, Donald West '49 and wife, Dorothy Morgan-Pierce '49 and husband; Lorene Ausherman '53, Mabel Wood, DeWitt Bowen '49 and wife; C. Woolsey '23 and wife; Bernice Baker '54 and husband; Glenda Foster '55, Chalmer Chastair '50 and wife; H. B. Lundquist and wife; Elmyra Conger '54 and husband.

Have you enjoyed reading concerning the activities of the chapters? Of course you have! The editor personally knows of other chapter meetings but it is impossible to tell about them for lack of information. In the future when you assemble for any purpose as a chapter, will you not send a report to the executive secretary, H. B. Lundquist, Box 31, Collegedale, Tennessee, so that the other eleven chapters may know what you are doing?

There is provision for the organization of new chapters in the consti

tution. Anytime six members request the organization of a chapter, authorization for the same will be forthcoming. There should be chapters in various places where today there are none. Why not get one started? They can be a lot of fun!

## MARRIAGES

Helen E. Case '58 and John T. Durichek '58 were married on June 17 at her home town, Charlotte, N. C.

Phyllis Short and Robert G. Pierson '58 were married in the same place where his mother and father started life together, Ocala, Florida.

Judy Lansford and Joseph Bishop '58 were married in June.

Clymera Anderson '58 and Robert Lorren were married at her home in Loma Linda, June 17.

Dorothy Davis '45 and Howard Lund were married on June 26 at Silverdale, Tennessee.

Anna Jean Robinson and Paul Leonard Allen were married on June 29 at Walden's Ridge, Tennessee.

Glenna Robinson and Robert Ingram '58 were married on July 13 at Collegedale, Tennessee.

## BIRTHS

Terrance Keith, on April 22, to Mr. and Mrs. David Hess, '58 (Joycelyn Speyer, '57).

Jefferson Stuart, on May 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Horace S. Beckner (Sue Laster, '56).

Allen Brian, Jr., on June 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Brian Wilcox (June Neely, '57).

Dr. and Mrs. Ray Hefferlin (Inelda Phillips, '58) announce the adoption of a daughter, Lorelie, born June 19.

## HOMEcomings VISITORS

Don and Sylvia Crook, '53; Mrs. Frank Artress, '38; Warren G. Hammond, '51; Bernice E. Baker, '54; William Hulsey, '55; Henry E. Baasch, '53; Merrill and Mary Crooker, '53; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Longley, '49 and '50; B. J. and Masie White Jameson, '23; Edward and Letah Banks, '31; Ruth Jones Sorrell, '51; Cloie Ashby Lorren, '31; Dale and Betty Fisher, '51; Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McKee, '28; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Battle, '53; Mr. and Mrs. George Webb, Jr., '52; Mr. and Mrs.

Norman Krogstad; Albert and Shirley Wilt, '53; Elton B. King, '29; Joe and Nancy Butterfield, '56; Rose Schroeder, '53; Mr. and Mrs. Olavi E. Weir, '55 and '55; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chesney, '53; J. W. and Audrey Henson, '54; Mr. and Mrs. Don E. Pierson, '54; Bobra Barrington, '50; Ann Maxwell Burchard, '55; Celia Youmans, '54; Ramona Gilliam; Dorothy Morgan Pierce, '49; Josie and DeWitt Bowen, '49; Ralston and June Hooper, '40 and '42; Victor W. Esquilla, '36; Buddy and Elsie Blair, '53; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mathieu, '42; J. M. Jansen, '32; Donald L. West, '49; Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Ludington, '41 and '54; Ruby E. Lea, Barbara Navy, '57; Earl M. Clough, '49; Paul C. and Ruth Boynton, '38 and '52; Helen E. Case, '56; Darlyne Jarrett, '57; Rachel Atkins, '57; Frances E. Andrews, '49; Robert and Marie East, '54; Max and Kay Ritchie, '47 and '47; Elder and Mrs. A. D. McKee, '30; J. R. and Elmyra Conger, '19 and '54; Mary Ellen Carden, '52; Bruce Ringer, '53; Harry Hulsey, '53; Elder and Mrs. Kenneth A. Wright; Elder and Mrs. Joe Crews, '46 and '44; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Woolsey, '23 and '23; Jake Atkins, '49; Lester and LaSina Rilea, '55 and '55; Catherine Fox Mizelle, '42; Miriam Harold, '56; Elsie Peterson, '57; Audrey H. Liles, '52; John Goodbrad, '38; Mazie A. Herin, '37; Frances Clark, '53; Elaine Higdon, '52; Harold and Marjorie Johnson, '53 and '53; Mary E. Mashburn, '32; Dr. and Mrs. Chalmer Chastain, '44; Virginia Hubbell Patrick, '42; Andrew Chastain, '49; T. L. and Jimmie Lou Brackett, '51 and '49; Craig and Marilyn Parrish, '51; Jeanne McWilliams Lowe, '52; Grace Schneider Turner, '47; Lorene Ausherman, '53; Alfred and Viola Mitchell, '53 and '54; Kenneth A. Wright, Jr.; Max and Jean Longley, '56; Maurice Urick, '56; Connie Moffett Arnett, '57; Wayne and Arlene Pleasants; Hoyt V. Hendershot, '41; Walter F. Wright, '54; Ward B. Shaw, Sr., '32.

## The Alumni Observer

Elder and Mrs. Henry Baasch, '53, are visiting relatives in Mrs. Baasch's home country, bonny England, as well as Germany, his native land, this summer.

Lawrence Scales, '48, was recently elected

president of Southwestern Junior College, succeeding Dr. Conard Rees, our new president.

Mazie Herin, '37, is on an extensive study and vacation tour of Europe this summer.

Elder and Mrs. T. W. Staples, '58, and family have returned to continue their missionary endeavors in the Congo Union of the Southern African Division.

Juan Acevedo, '58, and his family have returned to Puerto Rico, his homeland, where he will be engaged as a teacher on the faculty of Puerto Rico Academy.

Ercel Mae Bradley Bennett, '36, has returned after two terms of mission service in Africa and is now laboring with the Home Study Institute, Takoma Park.

Junny Lynn, '57, will be teaching science at Mount Pisgah the coming year.

Irene Cross, '58, will be teaching music, also at Mount Pisgah Academy.

Ruhy Jean Lynn Phalen, '53, is secretary to Mrs. W. A. Fagal and also script girl at the Faith for Today studio. She writes that "she loves her work."

Dr. and Mrs. P. W. Dysinger, '51, made a recent visit to SMC. Mrs. Dysinger is a daughter of Elder E. L. Minchin of the General Conference MV staff. They were enroute to Cambodia, South Asia, where Bill will serve a two-year term for the U. S. State Department in Health Education. He expects to do missionary work in connection with his responsibilities.

Albert C. Smith, '35, is employed by the Louisiana State Employment Service and has just moved with his wife, Juanita, and two daughters into a new home in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Alan F. Bush, D.D.S., '45, is in private practice in Lansing, Michigan, where he resides with his family.

Arthur R. Corder, '51, is dean of the Philippine Union College located at Manila, Philippine Islands.

Dale and Betty Collins, '53, now employed at Antillian Union College, were recent visitors on campus.

Rosalina Cardona, '49, writes that she is teaching English in High School in Puerto Rico and expects to receive her M.A. degree from New York University in August.

Celia Youmans, '54, is serving as a secretary in the Illinois Conference.

Dale Fisher, '51, aside from his important work with the West Coast Aero Tool Company, is doing highly successful work as president of the California chapter of the association.

Hugh V. Leggett, '52, is now pastor of the Mobile district and was a visitor on campus at the time of College Days.

John F. Duge, M.D., '31, is now practicing medicine in Pacific Palisades, California. On April 14, in a letter in which he enclosed a little gift of \$250 to the Alumni Association Student Aid Fund, he said in part: "Enclosed is a check for the Alumni Student Aid Fund, which to my mind, is probably one of the most important and urgent of the Alumni projects. . . . We are not living up to the counsels of the Spirit of prophecy if we allow any of our young people to drop out of school from lack of funds. . . ."

"I believe there are many like myself who are able and willing to help if the need will be brought regularly to their attention. . . . Personally I do not care as



much for the pledge card as for a regular reminder about twice a year. . . . Further, I believe much can be accomplished through the local chapters if adequate interest can be engendered in the chapter leaders. . . . In these reminders we could be informed as to how the plan operates, whether or not these funds are to be administered in the form of loans . . . or whether outright gifts are to be made; how the recipients are to be selected; how the funds will be prorated. . . .

"Personally, I am glad to be able to help some on this problem from time to time. It makes me feel happy that in a small way I am able to show somewhat my gratitude to SMC and to the faculty for the Christian education afforded me. If ever I stand on the sea of glass, and by the Lord's help I fully intend to do so, I feel that no small amount of the credit must be given to the fact that I was educated in our schools. We must do as much for those who follow."

### SINCE MARCH

\* Doctor Thomas W. Walters, after a brilliant administrative tour of three years and three months, at the end of June turned over the helm of the College to an equally distinguished administrator, Doctor Conard Rees, of Southwestern Junior College. We hope to be able to furnish more details concerning Doctor Walter's future activities in our next number.

\* Doctor Louis N. Holm, financial consultant par excellence and general manager, has chosen to retire from active service. His place has been filled by our former general manager, Charles Fleming, Junior. Doctor Holm will be located at Arlington, California.

\* Pastor Edward C. Banks, chairman of the Division of Theology and Evangelism, after more than a decade of outstanding service to the youth of this union here at SMC, has chosen to accept a call to act as Asso. Prof. of Bible and Dean of Student Affairs at EMC. His work will be assumed by Doctor Otto Christensen who has been connected with the College since 1955.

\* Homecoming, as announced in the March ALUMNI BULLETIN, came off in a very gratifying manner. It was the privilege of the more than a hundred off-campus alumni and the others who live at Collegedale, to hear Joe A. Crews, '46, at the Friday evening vesper hour, and former president Kenneth A. Wright, at the Sabbath morning hour. The week end of April 4 and 5 will long be remembered.

\* College and Academy Days fell on April 13 and 14 this year. Approximately 300 from as far afield as northern Kentucky, western Mississippi, southern Florida, and eastern North Carolina began to arrive early on Sunday and continued to come until that night. The following academies of the union were represented: Mt. Pisgah, Collegedale, Forest Lake, Highland, Little Creek, Fletcher, and Chunky, besides numerous high schools from each of the eight states of the union. President D. R. Rees of the union spoke to the visitors regarding the privilege of attending our alma mater. As usual, the high light of the program was the home talent program held on the

last evening of the program under the direction of Charles Fleming, Jr. Much credit for a smooth-running affair goes to the Student Association officers, Ronnie Haupt, Don Wilson, Helen Case, and Robert Ingram.

\* Students and teachers of SMC gave \$1500 on the million dollar fund just before the close of school. About \$1,000 of this was given by the latter.

\* Under the auspices of Christ's Foreign Legion, students, teachers, and neighbors donated \$718.00 for the construction of three cottages in the model Indian village connected with the Chiapas Indian mission located in southern Mexico. The plan is to construct twelve cottages in which Indians can be taught hygienic living and then send them back to spread the knowledge among their people.

\* Six students—Paul Allen, Ronald Haupt, Carl Jansen, Harold Messinger, Jerome Niswonger, and Vernon Sparks—graduates of SMC—have been accepted by CME for the medical course. The following two were accepted by CME for the course in dentistry, also graduates of SMC—Nick Limberis and Loel Wurl.

\* Doctor George Shankel, chairman of the Division of Social Sciences, was named academic dean of the college at the close of school. He had acted in this capacity in Atlantic Union College previous to coming here and also had been acting dean during the last few weeks of the school year.

\* Members of SMC Alumni Association donated \$1,200 in cash and pledges to integrate the Alumni Student Aid Fund during the first quarter of the year. If your donation was not included, won't you send it in soon?

\* The following students received the Bachelor of Arts degree from SMC in May: Aida A. Acosta, Ronald A. Haupt, Jerome W. Niswonger, Joseph A. Bishop, Gerald A. Swayze, Richard J. Belz, Helen E. Case, David H. Hess, Eugene T. Remmers, Thomas W. Staples, Clymera M. Anderson, Robert G. Pierson, George L. Sarver, Jr., Gilbert O. Smith, and Fred Williams.

The following received the Bachelor of Science degree: Harold S. Johnson, Clifton A. Keller, Jr., Anne Lowe, James Peel, Jr., Robert S. Ingram, Mary R. Elliott Nuckols, Mary Sue Estes, Sally Wonderly, Bob L. Collins, John T. Durichek, John F. McClellan, Clifford C. Burgeson, and Irene Cross.

The following students aside from the Bachelor's degree received the additional *cum laude* distinction: Joann L. Ausherman, Inelda P. Hefferlin, Paul L. Allen, Vernon C. Sparks, Carl Jansen, and Vinson C. Bushnell.

\* The following ten are due to graduate in August: Silco Alvarez, Richard Arthur, Juan Acevedo, Bob LeBard, Mildred Baldwin, Frances Clark, Ira Dennison, Carolyn Hoofard, David Jarrett, Jan Rushing.

\* Morris L. Taylor, candidate this summer for a doctor's degree in music, has been called to assume the chairmanship of the Fine Arts Division. Professor Taylor is from Walla Walla.

\* William H. Taylor, formerly of Union and Southwestern Junior colleges, and candidate for a doctor's degree, is connecting with the College as Dean of Student Affairs.

\* Clifford A. Reeves, on leave at Potomac

University for special study, has been called to teach applied theology commonly known as evangelism.

\* Summer School was a highly successful experience this summer with a total of 174 enrollees as compared with 151 last summer. The biology field trip was participated in by more than twenty. Several southern states were visited by this class under the direction of biologists Kuhlman and Grundset.

\* Donald Wilson was chosen as president of the Student Association for next year, and Romayne Godwin, secretary. Donald Short will edit the *Southern Accent*, and Carolyn Luce will edit *Southern Memories*.

\* Mrs. Otto Christensen, teacher of home economics, recently received membership in the national honor society Phi Kappa Phi for her high scholastic standing.

\* Roger Hanson, a veteran of nine years in teaching piano, joins us as teacher of music theory and piano. He is a Master of Music.

\* Gordon A. Madgwick will also join our faculty as instructor in the Division of Languages and Literature. His special field is English Literature. Mr. Madgwick receives his Master of Arts degree this summer.

\* The historic landmark variously known as Thatcher Hall and "the yellow house" is no more. It has been razed, and the knoll on which it was located is to be transformed into a tiny plaza or park. The inexorable wheel of progress has eliminated this mansion around which cling so many memories.

\* By the time classes begin in September the new Home Economics and Dining Hall building will be ready for occupancy. It is located just in front of Hackman (Science) Hall and is a credit to the campus.

\* Alfreda Costerisan, formerly dean of women at Hylandale and at present a member of the faculty of the English Division at Emmanuel Missionary College, is arriving soon to assume the work of dean of women laid down in May by Edna Stoneburner. Miss Stoneburner did an outstanding piece of work as dean of Maude Jones Hall for seven years.

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### SMC Alumni Association Directory

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## CONSTITUTION OF THE SOUTHERN MISSIONARY COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

(As recommended by the Executive Committee of the Alumni Association, approved by the Board of Management of Southern Missionary College, and adopted by the SMC Alumni Association at its 1958 annual meeting.)

### ARTICLE I—Name

This organization shall be known as the Southern Missionary College Alumni Association.

### ARTICLE II—Purpose

- The purpose of this organization shall be:
- a. To stimulate the spirit of fellowship and brotherhood among former graduates and students.
  - b. To locate and reclaim for Christ the former graduates and students of this institution who no longer enjoy Christian fellowship.
  - c. To honor from time to time those who have made outstanding contributions to God's work.
  - d. To own, hold, buy, sell, exchange, incumber, transfer in trust, or otherwise dispose of property, both real, personal, or mixed; to receive property by gift, devise, or bequest, or to otherwise acquire and hold property, real or personal, including stocks, bonds, and securities of every kind and nature whatsoever.
  - e. To act as trustee under any trust incidental to the principal objects of the corporation, and to receive, hold, administer, and expend funds and property subject to such trust, or trusts, as provided by law by the state of Tennessee or any state, county, or municipality, or body politic in which said property may be located at said time, and according to the by-laws of this Association, or as may be ordered by any court of competent jurisdiction.
  - f. To foster and support, morally and financially, any project which has in view the betterment of our Alma Mater to the extent of our ability.

### ARTICLE III—Membership

SECTION 1. The membership of this organization shall consist of: regular, associate, and honorary members.

a. *Regular membership* shall consist of the following:

- (1) Southern Training School 14th grade graduates
- (2) Southern Junior College 14th grade graduates
- (3) Southern Missionary College 14th and 16th grade graduates

The above members shall be eligible to hold office and vote in chapters and in the Association.

b. *Associate membership* shall consist of those who have attended college at Southern Training School, Southern Junior College, and/or Southern Missionary College but who did not receive a diploma or degree; and graduates of the following:

- (1) Graysville Sanitarium
- (2) Graysville Academy
- (3) Southern Training School 12th grade
- (4) Southern Junior College 12th grade
- (5) Collegedale Academy
- (6) Florida Sanitarium and Hospital School of Nursing from 1913 to 1957

These shall be eligible to hold office and to vote in the chapters.

c. *Honorary membership* shall consist of Southern Missionary College:

- (1) Faculty
- (2) Staff
- (3) Board of trustees
- (4) Former faculty and staff
- (5) Such other persons as the Association wishes to honor.

Wives and/or husbands of members are not only welcome but are invited to participate in the activities of the Association and its chapters.

The ALUMNI BULLETIN will be furnished to any members of classifications "b" and "c" upon request. The responsibility rests upon such members to keep the secretary informed as to the mailing address.

### ARTICLE IV—Officers and Their Duties

SECTION 1. The regular officers of this organization shall be a president, a vice-president, a secretary, an assistant secretary, a treasurer, and a publicity secretary.

SECTION 2. *President*: The president shall act as chairman of the Executive Committee, shall labor in the general interest of the organization, shall speak to the graduating class each year on the aims and methods of the Alumni Association, and perform all other duties usually devolving on such an officer.

SECTION 3. *Vice-president*: The vice-president shall preside over the Executive Committee in session in the event that the president is absent or temporarily incapacitated.

SECTION 4. *Secretary*: The secretary shall keep minutes of the proceedings of duly called sessions and collect such statistics as may be desired by the Executive Committee or the president of this institution, and perform such other duties as usually pertain to such an office.

SECTION 5. *Assistant secretary*: The assistant secretary shall assist the secretary in every way possible.

SECTION 6. *Treasurer*: It shall be the duty of the treasurer to receive and disburse all funds of the Association in harmony with the action of the Executive Committee, and to render such financial statements as may be desired.

SECTION 7. *Publicity secretary*: The publicity secretary shall promote the activities of this Association and its several members through the various channels of the *Southern Accent*, *Southern Memories*, *Southern Tidings*, and such other publications that will give space to these activities.

### ARTICLE V.—Executive Committee

SECTION 1. The Executive Committee shall consist of the president, the vice-president, the secretary, the treasurer, the publicity secretary, two other members of the Association elected at the annual meeting, and/or one member appointed by the president of the College.

SECTION 2. The Executive Committee shall have general charge of business and social interests of the Association between meetings. It shall have power to fill all vacancies between the regular annual sessions of the Association.

### ARTICLE VI—Local Chapters

SECTION 1. Local units of the Alumni Association may be established with the approval of the Executive Committee upon written request of at least six members residing in the territory within which the unit is desired.

SECTION 2. Units may be dissolved by the Executive Committee for good and sufficient reasons, and shall become dissolved if the chapter becomes inactive or the membership becomes less than six.

SECTION 3. The local chapter officers shall remain in office for a period of one year and shall conduct a regularly called election at camp meeting or some appropriate time when a majority of the constituency can be present.

### ARTICLE VII—Nominating Committee

SECTION 1. At least three months prior to the regular meeting of the Association, the Executive Committee shall appoint a committee of five, no one of whom shall be a member of the Executive Committee, to nominate candidates for elective positions to be filled.

SECTION 2. The committee shall nominate two candidates each for the positions of president, vice-president, secretary, assistant secretary, treasurer, and publicity secretary.

SECTION 3. No person shall be nominated unless his consent has been obtained previously.

### ARTICLE VIII—Elections

Elections shall be conducted annually, and officers for the ensuing twelve-month period shall be announced each year at the annual meeting. The nominating committee shall furnish to each member a ballot with two names for each office. These ballots shall be mailed to overseas members at least two months prior to the election, and to members in the continental United States at least one month prior to the election. The votes received until one week before the date of the annual meeting shall be considered valid. The votes shall be counted by the nominating committee.

### ARTICLE IX—Funds

The funds coming into the hands of the Association shall be disbursed by the treasurer on order of the Executive Committee.

### ARTICLE X—By-Laws

The membership of this organization may enact by-laws and may amend or repeal them at any session.

### ARTICLE XI—Amendments

The constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any annual meeting of the Association. All proposed amendments are to be submitted to the members by publication in the regular bulletin of the Alumni Association, appearing in the last issue preceding the annual meeting of the Association.

### ARTICLE XII—Publications

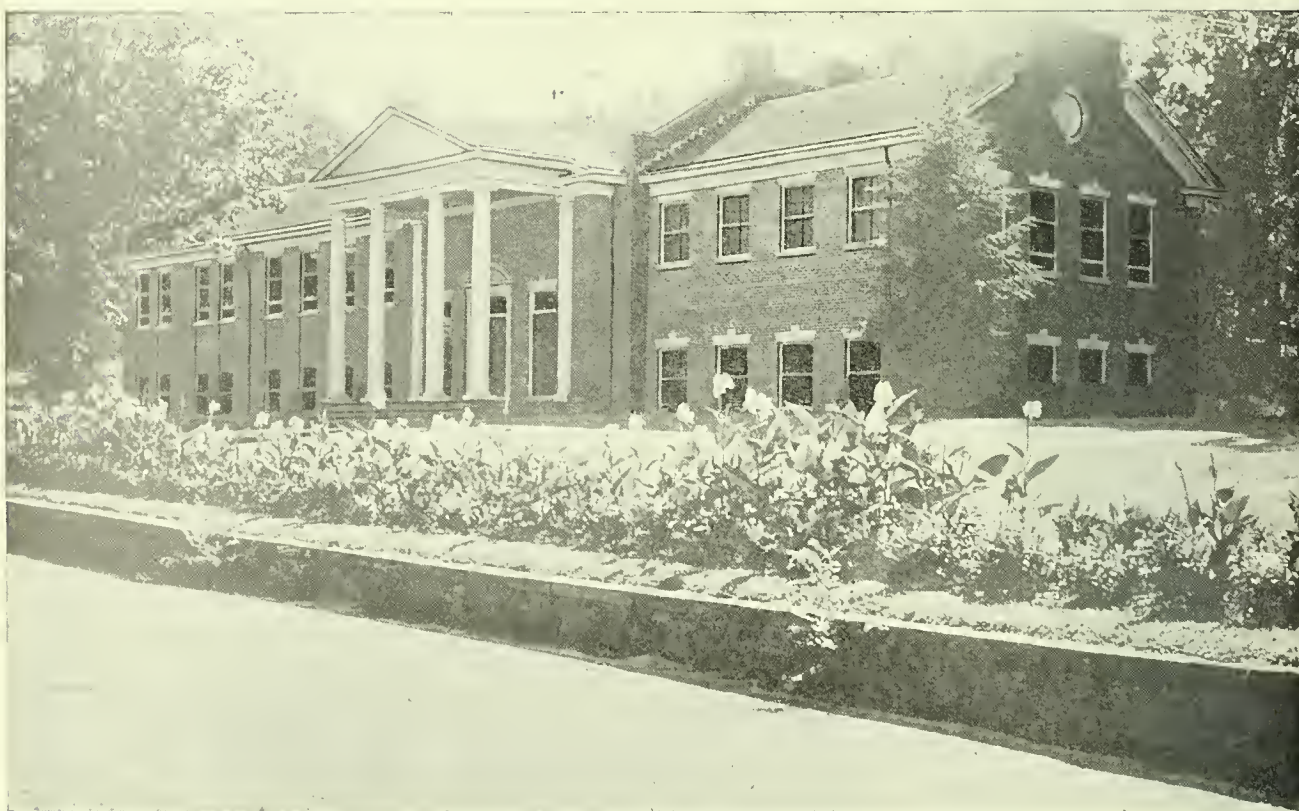
SECTION 1. The Association shall publish a minimum of three issues annually of an alumni bulletin to be known as "SMC ALUMNI BULLETIN." The director of public relations of the College shall be editor of the Alumni Bulletin.

SECTION 2. The bulletin shall be furnished to all regular members of the Association and to others as explained in Article III, "c."





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## Your Alma Mater

By WILLIAM H. TAYLOR, *Dean of Students*

William H. Taylor, dean of student affairs, speaking to a meeting of the Collegedale SMC Alumni Association, suggested three areas in which an alumni association can accomplish great things for its college: In school spirit, in student recruitment, and in specific financial projects.



William H. Taylor

The alumni's spirit is a clear index of its loyalty and understanding of its Alma Mater. Its influence and backing are of paramount importance in anything the college undertakes. The members help interpret the objectives of the college to everyone they know; their spiritual advice is appreciated.

Several studies show that the following influences are most important to the student when selecting a college: (1) Friends in attendance at that particular college; (2) an alumnus' influence; and (3) a visit to the college. A college need not fear for its enrollment if its alumni will "talk up" its Alma Mater.

In campaigns and in projects sponsored by the alumni association, the administration, and the students, the alumni can donate of their talents and material wealth to their Alma Mater.

In spirit, in influence on prospective students, and in support of college projects, the alumni are essential to the complete well-being of their college.

### *Let's Face the Facts*

By H. B. LUNDQUIST

In spite of a record 3,250,000 enrollment in America's colleges, or, perhaps, because of it—colleges are going through a difficult time financially. And the prospect of having about double the present college population by 1970 only serves to accentuate the current jitters of those who are planning the future of the American college student.

Service, and not merely worldly gain, is the aim of the college, for it is more concerned with putting knowledge into the student's head than in getting money out of his or his parent's pocket. The American college is determined to maintain this ideal even if it suffers bankruptcy doing so.

If it is true the student does "pay" for his tuition, it is equally true that he does not pay it all, by a long way. Private schools pay an average of 45% of each undergraduate's expenses; while state colleges pay about 82%. The college students of this country are charged only one-third the cost of the education they receive.

A special committee appointed by President Eisenhower to investigate the specific problem of teachers' compensation, said: "The plain fact is that the college teachers of the United

States, through their inadequate salaries, are subsidizing the education of students and, in some cases, the luxury of students' families, by an amount which is more than double the grand total of alumni gifts, corporate gifts, and endowment income of all colleges and universities combined."

However, few students or their families can defray the expenses of their college training while obtaining it. If tuitions were raised to meet expenses, only the richest—and not necessarily the best—of the scholars would survive. Therefore, colleges quietly make up the difference between the price tag and hope to be remembered when students emerge from their lean years! But there is naturally a limit to how missionary-minded the teacher will be, since the recent growth in enrollment has not been accompanied by a comparable rise in revenue, some important and long awaited changes are being made in our country.

As a first step, colleges are advertising how they finance every education, explaining that without the assistance of Alma Mater there would be fewer students than there are. Hopefully, they think this may touch the alumni conscience. Here at SMC, a wonderful start was made in this direction last year when \$1,200 in cash and pledges was given by our alumni to the Association sponsored Student Aid Fund. How wonderful it would be if those who gave would increase their gifts, and that more would participate! As it is, a mere token 10% appear so far to recognize that by giving to this Fund, they may partially discharge their debt to their Alma Mater.

This problem of providing an education to everyone who yearns for it has several possible solutions—one of which might be called, "Learn Now, Pay Later." This plan would boost tuition to ease the teacher's burden as well as to provide much needed buildings and teaching equipment. It would be accomplished by means of loans to students on a long-term basis. How-





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